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In re Application of:

Docket No. 213201.00187

VAUGHN KEENAN, ET AL.

Application No.: 10/706,487

Filed: November 13, 2003

Examiner: K. McHenry

For: INJECTION NOZZLE FOR A  
METALLIC MATERIAL  
INJECTION-MOLDING MACHINE

Group Art Unit: 1725

THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: September 27, 2004

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

An additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 25	MINUS	** 20	= 5	x \$9 \$18	\$ 90.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 7	MINUS	*** 5	= 2	x \$43 \$86	\$172.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145°/\$290						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT—						\$262.00

°Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.

Charge \$262.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 for the additional claims fee. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

- Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1710. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- Charge \_ to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 to cover the fee for a \_ month extension of time fee. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.
- Charge \$\_ to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.
- Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 625-3507. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Reissue Application of: )  
KESTLE, MARTIN R., ET AL, ) Examiner: McHenry, Kevin  
Appn No.: 10/706,487 ) Group Art Unit: 1725  
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Mail Stop No-Fee Amendment

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, kindly amend  
the above-identified reissue application as follows:

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01 FC:1201 172.00 DA  
02 FC:1202 90.00 DA